

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Satoshi Tsujii, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/663,731  
Filed : September 15, 2000  
For : RECORDING APPARATUS, RECORDING METHOD, AND  
RECORDING MEDIUM  
Examiner : Vent, Jamie J.  
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Confirmation No. : 2305

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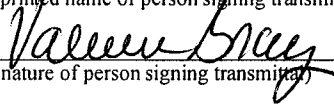
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**AMENDMENT SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST  
FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants submit herewith another Request for Continued Examination (RCE)  
and an electronic payment in the amount of \$810.00 as payment of the RCE fee. Please amend  
the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 18 of this paper.